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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed August 28, 2007, applicant hereby provisionally elects the claims in Group II for continued examination, with traverse. Claims of Group II that are readable on the elected species are claims 22-31, 35-37, and 45-51

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